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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2005, enclosed please find the following documents: Amendment and Response.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC648-2). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

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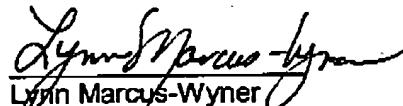
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Sir:

The present communication is in response to the non-final Office Action dated March 9, 2005. Entry and consideration of the present amendment is respectfully requested.

Applicants submit the response is timely and is being filed within three months of the shortened statutory period set for reply, which is June 9, 2005.

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